

CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Filing Date | May 8, 2001 | | | | |
| First Named Inventor | John Baker | | | | |
| Art Unit | 2667 | | | | |
| Examiner Name | Murphy, Rhonda L. | | | | |
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

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